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To: Mikalian, Charles [mikalian.charles@epa.gov]; Andrew Steinberg [andrew.steinberg@lepetomaneinc.com]

Subject: RE: Panelyte AOC

Thanks, Chuck.

FYI in the wake of John Kneas's retirement and Paul Bucholz's transfer away from the Kalamazoo River project, I recently asked Bruce Merchant if he could check with Clyde Robinson to OK me acting as a state contact with Bruce, to check on status of City-State to-dos and completed tasks. I am doing this to try to reduce confusion, troubleshoot delays, and (hopefully) maximize the efficiency of our large-group calls (which are very, very helpful!).

My suggestion was that Bruce and I (and whoever the City wants to bring to the call) could check in by phone a week or a few days in advance of the monthly OU1 calls, to see if there are Kalamazoo-State of Michigan questions, issues, etc. that we can try to resolve or at least get to the right folks in the City & State.

Clyde is busy, and their outside counsel will just add to their costs, so I am hoping the City OK's this. I intend to act as a coordinator more than an attorney, but I needed to make sure his people understand & sign off, since I would be talking to a non-attorney directly.

Just FYI... no response needed, but let me know if you have concerns or suggestions.

Polly

From: Mikalian, Charles [mailto:mikalian.charles@epa.gov]

Sent: Friday, September 22, 2017 10:35 AM

To: Andrew Steinberg <andrew.steinberg@lepetomaneinc.com>; Synk, Polly (AG) <SynkP@michigan.gov>

Subject: Panelyte AOC

Attached is a very limited set of edits to the work and property sections of the AOC. These are still a work in progress, but I want you to see them as we work through them. No one else on my team has commented on these yet.

We had a call with the City Thursday to discuss the City edits on the previous draft. The US will be meeting internally on Monday to discuss those comments. I anticipate significant further edits sometime after that call. However, I think we can proceed with working on these Work and Property edits in the meantime.

Let me know if you have comments/concerns.

Thx, Chuck